

GENERAL PUBLIC RULES FOR CITY SWIMMING POOLS

1. During regular operating hours all guests are required to pay an admission fee, or purchase/have a pool pass, in order to enter the facility. Swim lessons, swim teams, or scheduled pool parties guests and guardians are required to abide by this rule. These programs rates and organizational agreements do not include pool admission fees.
2. Patrons may only enter the pool under the direction and supervision of lifeguards.
3. Lifeguards are pool authorities and will enforce rules
4. Do not drink pool water or put the water in your mouth
5. Parents or guardians must accompany and actively supervise their children at all times
6. No running
7. No diving (except for the designated areas at Buttercup and Veterans Pool)
8. No congregating on or near steps or ladders
9. No hanging on entry and exit railing
10. Glass containers, weapons, alcohol, illegal substances are not permitted
11. No smoking or use of e-cigarettes
12. No loud music
13. No food or drinks within 6 feet of the pools edge
14. No excessive PDA (Public Display of Affection) in the facility
15. No sitting, standing, or jumping on or from another person
16. No throwing or propelling another person out of the water into the air
17. No water guns
18. Hard balls are not permitted. Soft balls are permitted at the discretion of the Pool Manager, with public safety and comfort in mind.
19. No hard diving sticks (rings are permitted)
20. No hanging or sitting on lane lines or pool ropes
21. No jumping or falling backwards into pool
22. No jumping over another person to enter the water
23. No flips or cartwheels into the water or on the pool deck
24. No pop up/E-Z up tents allowed in the facility
25. No profanity, cursing, crude language or behavior
26. No horseplay/dunking
27. Chewing gum is not permitted anywhere in the facility
28. No hyperventilation, hypoxic training, "no-breathers," or breath-holding competitions, or any activity for which a swimmer's breath is purposefully held for an extended period. At least one breath must be taken every twenty five (25) yards and no swimmer shall remain underwater for more than thirty (30) seconds.
29. No playing with or sitting on ADA pool lifts
30. Children under the age of 12 are not allowed in the facility without supervision of a guardian who at least 16 year of age

31. Diaper dependent guests must wear a swim diaper or vinyl pants/coverings in order to enter the pool, regular diapers are prohibited
32. Changing diapers within six feet of pool is prohibited
33. Changing diapers on top of picnic tables is prohibited
34. If a person is infected with a contagious disease or condition, pool use is prohibited
35. Individuals ill with diarrhea are prohibited to swim
36. When the maximum pool capacity is reached the pool will temporarily close and no additional guest(s) will be allowed in until guest(s) permanently leave the facility.
37. A modest swimsuit must be worn at all times when inside the pool.
38. Guests are not permitted to wear the following clothing items as swim suits:
 - a. Frayed clothing (cut-offs)
 - b. Underwear
 - c. Jeans (including jean and khaki shorts)
 - d. Thong bathing suits
 - e. See through garments
 - f. Swim wear with exposed zippers, buckles, rivets or metal ornamentation
39. Throw away trash you generate in designated containers
40. The City of Cedar Park is not responsible for any item that is lost, damaged, or stolen
41. Pets/animals are prohibited inside the facility (service animals are permitted)
42. All Day Care Centers and Agencies must get approval from the Aquatics Department prior to attending a facility. Failure to do so may result in being declined entry.
43. All Day Care Centers and Agencies must abide by the City's "Use of City Swimming Pools by Day Care Centers and Agencies" policy
44. No private or group training sessions of any kind are permitted in the facility unless the instructor/ organization is under contract with the City of Cedar Park.
45. Management reserves the right to enforce other rules as necessary to ensure the safety of our guest and staff.
46. Management reserves the right to refuse entry to any person or group at any time
47. Management reserves the right to evict any person, or group at any time
48. No private swim instruction is permitted without prior approval from the City of Cedar Park
49. The use of "mermaid tails" in the pool is prohibited

USE OF CITY SWIMMING POOLS BY DAY CARE CENTERS AND AGENCIES

For the purpose of this policy the following definitions shall apply unless the context clearly indicates or requires a different meaning.

A) Agency means organizations that provide supervised care for children, including, but not limited to, state schools and hospitals, summer day camps, and private schools.

B) Day Care Center or agency means any person or organization that provides care for six or more children.

C) Staff Member means any person who is employed by a day care center or agency which uses a city swimming pool.

In order to use a city swimming pool, all agencies shall be registered before the desired time for use with the Aquatic Coordinator or Aquatics Specialist. Facilities and times for use shall be assigned to each group by the Aquatic Coordinator or Aquatics Specialist. Assignment will be based on a variety of factors including but not limited to: facility size, time of day, bather load, size of the day care center or agency group, or other relevant criteria. A signed policy in acknowledgment and agreement of these policies and rules must be turned in to the Aquatic Coordinator by the designated date. Failure to register beforehand may result in being declined entry.

The following ratios from the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services must be followed at all times. Failure to comply with these ratios at any time shall result in the appropriate adjustments by the center or agency to comply with the ratios.

Age of Children	Number of Staff	Number of Children
0-23 months	1	1
2 years	1	2
3 years	1	6
4 years	1	8
5 years	1	10
6 years and older	1	12

The following degrees of participation are required of staff members of day care centers or agencies:

- 1) At all times, at least one staff member from any group must be at least 18 years of age.
- 2) All certified agency staff shall wear swimsuits and shall be actively supervising the children in the water and comply with the ratios stated in the subsection above.

Failure of any agency to comply with the provisions of this policy shall result in denial of access to the pool and may result in revocation of the privilege to use city swimming facilities. Violation of these or any City policies may result in revocation of privileges at the discretion of the Parks and Recreation Director.

VETERANS MEMORIAL POOL RULES

General Pool Rules:

1. All "General public rules for city swimming pools" apply to this facility
2. Veteran's Memorial Pool has a maximum capacity of 450 people, at all times.
3. Large, or medium, flotation devices (transparent or not) are prohibited.
 - Small infant and toddler flotation devices are permitted.

Playscape Rules:

1. An adult must supervise children under 6 years of age.
2. No running on or around the water play unit.
3. No headfirst sliding on slide.
4. No climbing on pipes or handrails.
5. No swimming or loitering underneath the blue slide.
6. No hanging on valves.
7. Valves are accessible to allow children and adults to throttle and play with the water. We encourage you and your children to turn and open these valves to have fun with the water effect you create.

Playscape Slide Rules:

1. All riders must at least 36 inches tall.
2. Maximum rider weight is 200 pounds.
3. Children under 6 years of age must be closely supervised by an adult.
4. Eye glasses must be securely affixed to rider with head straps.
5. No tubes, mats, or lifejackets are permitted on the slide (puddle-jumpers are permitted).
6. No combs or foreign objects are allowed in pockets and no jewelry can be worn while riding the slide. No cut off jeans or swim wear with exposed zippers, buckles, rivets or metal ornamentation; only approved swim suits allowed.
7. Only one rider at a time in each slide. Absolutely no trains or chains of riders are permitted.
8. Slide must be ridden feet first lying on your back with legs firmly crossed at the ankles and arms folded across the chest (to prevent elbows from contacting the flume).
9. Riders must wait for the attendants start signal before starting to slide.
10. Do not uncross your legs or attempt to sit up until you have come to a stop in the shutdown lane.
11. Do not run, dive, stand, kneel, rotate or stop in the slide.
12. At the end of the slide, obey all instructions by the attendant and exit quickly and orderly.
13. No diving from the slide shutdown lane.
14. Do not block the end of the slide.
15. Riders must be in good health. Elderly persons, those suffering from heart disease, high blood pressure, epilepsy, or person using prescription medication should consult their physician before using this slide. Individuals with medical

conditions including, but not limited to pregnancy, heart, or back problems should not ride.

16. Do not use this slide while under the influence of alcohol or drugs.

Playscape Shutdown Lane Rules:

1. Do not block the end of the slide.
2. Leave the shutdown lane quickly and orderly.
3. No swimming or floatation devices allowed in the shutdown lane.

Kiddie Slide Rules:

1. All riders on this slide must be supervised by a parent or other responsible adult.
2. Non swimmers are not permitted on the slide.
3. **Maximum rider height is 48 inches.**
4. **Maximum rider weight is 100 pounds.**
5. Only one rider at a time in each slide. Absolutely no trains or chains of riders are permitted.
6. Follow the instructions of the lifeguards at all times.
7. Wait until the splashdown landing area is clear before entering or going down the slide.
8. Riders must enter the slide in a sitting position.
9. Riders should remain sitting up while riding the slide with their arms resting on their lap. Riders should not stand up or lie down while using the slide. All riders must go down feet first. At no time should the rider attempt to stand up while on the slide or prior to coming to a complete stop in the splash out area.
10. Arms and hands must remain inside the flume.
11. No combs or foreign objects are allowed in pockets and no jewelry can be worn while riding the slide. No cut-off jeans or swim wear with exposed zippers, buckles, rivets or metal ornamentation; only approved swim suits allowed.
12. No tubes, mats, or lifejackets are permitted on the slide (puddle-jumpers are permitted).
13. Riders must be in good health. Elderly persons, those suffering from heart disease, high blood pressure, epilepsy, or person using prescription medication should consult their physician before using this slide. Individuals with medical conditions including, but not limited to pregnancy, heart, or back problems should not ride.
14. Do not use this slide while under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
15. No diving from the slide.
16. Leave the plunge pool promptly after entering.
17. **WARNING: SHALLOW WATER**
18. Rider assumes all risk of injury due to misuse of the slide or failure to follow these rules.

Log Crossing Rules:

1. Only one person on the log crossing apparatus at the time

2. No hanging on or shaking, the cargo net while another person crosses
3. Parents, guardians, or friends may not assist another individual across the apparatus
4. Riders that can reach the cargo net are required to utilize the cargo net while crossing
5. Riders that cannot reach the cargo net are permitted to hop across without using the cargo net
6. Riders that fall into the water are not permitted to continue crossing
7. No swimming under or around the crossing area
8. No climbing on top of the cargo net
9. No running across the logs
10. WARNING: Water depth is 3 feet 6 inches

Basketball Rules:

1. Only basketballs provided by the City are permitted
2. No dunking
3. No jumping from the pool edge attempting to dunk or shoot the ball
4. No grabbing or hanging from the rim, or net
5. No shooting baskets from outside the water
6. No wrestling/fighting over the basketballs
7. No throwing the basketballs at people
8. No shooting from a distance further than the top of the circle/key
9. Basketballs are to remain near playing area
10. Basketballs are not to be hoarded

Drop Slide Rules:

1. **ALL riders must be at least 48" tall.**
2. **Maximum rider weight is 250 pounds.**
3. Non-swimmers not permitted on or in the slide.
4. No combs or foreign objects are allowed in pockets and no jewelry can be worn while riding the slide. No cut off jeans or swim wear with exposed zippers, buckles, rivets or metal ornamentation; only approved swim suits allowed.
5. The line should form on the first step from the top of the platform with one rider on each step. Wait till the lifeguard stationed at the slide starter tub directs the next rider into the starter tub.
6. Riders must enter the slide in a sitting position and wait for instructions from the lifeguard stationed at the slide starter tub.
7. Slide must be ridden feet first lying on your back with legs firmly crossed at the ankles and arms folded across the chest (to prevent elbows from contacting the flume).
8. Sitting up while riding the slide is NOT permitted.
9. Eyeglasses and goggles must be securely affixed to riders with head straps.
10. Do not pull or propel yourself into the ride.
11. Only one rider at a time. Absolutely no trains or chains of rides are permitted.
12. No tubes, mats, or lifejackets are permitted on the slide.

13. Riders must be in good health. Elderly persons, those suffering from heart disease, high blood pressure, epilepsy, or person using prescription medication should consult their physician before using this slide. Individuals with medical conditions including, but not limited to pregnancy, heart, or back problems should not ride.
14. Do not use this slide while under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
15. No running, standing, kneeling, rotating, tumbling or stopping in the flume. Arms and hands must remain in the flume. Riders should remain in the proper riding position until forward movement is terminated.
16. No diving from the slide.
17. Leave the plunge pool promptly after entering.
18. **WARNING: DEEP WATER**
19. Rider assumes all risk of injury due to misuse of the slide or failure to follow these rules.

Diving Platform Rules:

1. **ALL jumpers must be at least 48" tall, or have passed a swim test.** (You can request a swim test at the First Aid station.)
2. Non-swimmers not permitted.
3. The line should form on the first step from the top of the platform with one rider on each step. Wait till the lifeguard stationed on the platform to direct the next jumper to proceed.
4. Do not run on or off the platform.
5. No "Gainers," back, inward or arm stand dives.
6. Eyeglasses and goggles must be securely affixed to jumpers with head straps.
7. Only one jumper at a time. Absolutely no tandem jumps.
8. No tubes, lifejackets or other flotation devices are permitted.
9. Jumpers must be in good health. Elderly persons, those suffering from heart disease, high blood pressure, epilepsy, or person using prescription medication should consult their physician before going off this attraction. Individuals with medical conditions including, but not limited to pregnancy, heart, or back problems should not go off this attraction.
10. Do not go on this attraction while under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
11. Leave the plunge pool promptly after entering.
12. **WARNING: DEEP WATER**
13. Jumper assumes all risk of injury due to misuse of the attraction or failure to follow these rules.

ELIZABETH MILBURN POOL RULES

General Pool Rules:

1. All "General public rules for city swimming pools" apply to this facility
2. Elizabeth Milburn Pool has a maximum capacity of 400 people, at all times.

3. Transparent flotation devices are permitted at the discretion of the Pool Manager, with public safety and comfort in mind.
4. Non transparent flotation devices are not permitted, with the exception of small infant and toddler floats.
5. No sitting, hanging on or diving from starting block (exception during swim team practices or during City run swim lessons)
6. No walking or sitting on slide catch pool wall divider

Playscape Rules:

1. Play equipment is designed for children of the following ages: 6years to Adult.
2. A parent or adult must supervise children in the play area at all times, and accompany children under the age of 5.
3. **Maximum slide rider height is 48 inches.**
4. **Maximum rider weight is 100 pounds.**
5. Wait until the splashdown landing area is clear before entering or going down the slide.
6. Slide one at a time in a forward seated position, feet first. DO NOT slide head first.
7. Absolutely no trains or chains of riders are permitted.
8. Slide down only, no climbing up and no stopping.
9. When exiting the slide, immediately leave the slide landing area.
10. Do not block the end of the slide.
11. Adults please use caution when using the play equipment.
12. No climbing on top of the slide.
13. No climbing or standing on the outside of the play equipment.
14. No running or horseplay allowed.
15. No hanging on valves.
16. Valves are accessible to allow children and adults to throttle and play with the water. We encourage you and your children to turn and open these valves to have fun with the water effect you create.
17. All posted signs must be obeyed.
18. All play equipment should be used in a safe and correct manner.
19. Guests assume all risk and waive all claims for injury to self, family, or property arising out of your use of the play scape and equipment.
20. NOTIFY MANAGEMENT OF ANY PROBLEMS OR CONCERNS.

Green Slide Rules:

1. **ALL riders must be at least 48" tall.**
2. **Maximum rider weight is 250 pounds.**
3. Non-swimmers not permitted on or in the slide.
4. No combs or foreign objects are allowed in pockets and no jewelry can be worn while riding the slide. No cut off jeans or swim wear with exposed zippers, buckles, rivets or metal ornamentation; only approved swim suits allowed.
5. The line should form on the first step from the top of the platform with one rider on each step. Wait till the lifeguard stationed at the slide starter tub directs the next rider into the starter tub.

6. Riders must enter the slide in a sitting position and wait for instructions from the lifeguard stationed at the slide starter tub.
7. Slide must be ridden feet first lying on your back with legs firmly crossed and the ankles and arms folded across the chest (to prevent elbows from contacting the flume).
8. Sitting up while riding the slide is NOT permitted.
9. Eyeglasses and goggles must be securely affixed to riders with head straps.
10. Do not pull or propel yourself into the ride.
11. Only one rider at a time. Absolutely no trains or chains of rides are permitted.
12. No tubes, mats, or lifejackets are permitted on the slide.
13. Riders must be in good health. Elderly persons, those suffering from heart disease, high blood pressure, epilepsy, or person using prescription medication should consult their physician before using this slide. Individuals with medical conditions including, but not limited to pregnancy, heart, or back problems should not ride.
14. Do not use this slide while under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
15. No running, standing, kneeling, rotating, tumbling or stopping in the flume. Arms and hands must remain in the flume. Riders should remain in the proper riding position until forward movement is terminated.
16. No diving from the slide.
17. Leave the plunge pool promptly after entering.
18. **WARNING: DEEP WATER**
19. Rider assumes all risk of injury due to misuse of the slide or failure to follow these rules.

BUTTERCUP POOL RULES

General Pool Rules:

1. All "General public rules for city swimming pools" apply to this facility
2. Buttercup Pool has a maximum capacity of 200 people, at all times.
3. Transparent flotation devices are permitted at the discretion of the Pool Manager, with public safety and comfort in mind.
 - Non transparent flotation devices are not permitted, with the exception of small infant and toddler floats.

Blue Slide:

1. Guest must remain on the pool deck and wait for the previous rider to exit the water before climbing the slide stairs
2. One rider at a time
3. Slide must be ridden feet first:
 - Lying on back with legs extended forward and arms crossed across chest or
 - In a sitting position with legs extended forward with arms placed in lap
4. Upon entering the water guest shall swim to the closest ladder (on the left hand side of the guest) and exit the water quickly

5. Guest are not permitted to go down the slide wearing a lifejacket or any other flotation devices
6. Guest are not permitted to "catch" another guest at the exit of the slide
7. Guest are not permitted to go down the slide holding onto or with toys
8. Guest may not throw objects towards or at guest that are exiting the slide to catch
9. The slide is open and may be ridden when the "boards are open"
10. The slide is closed and may not be ridden when the "boards are closed."
 - The lifeguard that oversees the deep end determines whether the "boards are open" or if the "boards are closed."
11. No walking or climbing up the slide.
12. Per the manufacture guidelines, guest weighing over 300 pounds are not permitted to use the slide.
13. Non-swimmers are not permitted
14. WARNING: Water depth is 13 feet 0 inches

Diving Board Rules:

1. Guest must remain on the pool deck and wait for the previous rider to exit the water before climbing onto the diving board stairs
2. One guest at a time on diving board
3. No running off the diving board
4. Only one bounce is permitted (i.e. no double or triple bouncing)
5. Guest are directed to jump or dive straight off the board
6. Guest are not permitted to jump off the board backwards.
7. "Gainers," back, inward, cartwheel or arm stand dives are not permitted.
8. Guest are not permitted jump off the diving board wearing a lifejacket or any other flotation devices
9. Guest may not jump off the diving boards with toys
10. Guest may not throw objects towards or at guest that are jumping off of the diving board to catch
11. Guest are not permitted to "catch" another guest that is jumping off the diving board
12. Guest are not permitted to jump off the diving board holding onto or with toys
13. Upon entering the water guest shall swim to the closest ladder (on the right hand side of the guest) and exit the water quickly
14. Eyeglasses and goggles must be securely affixed to guest with a strap or held in guests hand
15. The diving board is open and may be used when the "boards are open"
16. The diving board is closed and may not be used when the "boards are closed."
17. The lifeguard that oversees the deep end determines whether the "boards are open" or if the "boards are closed."
18. Per the manufacture guidelines, guest weighing over 250 lbs are not permitted to use the diving board.
19. Non-swimmers are not permitted
20. WARNING: Water depth is 13 feet 0 inches

Shallow End Rules:

1. No lingering or playing on ADA ramp or stairs
2. No running down the ADA ramp
3. Guest are not permitted to occupy lap lane(s) while swimmers are present. Lap swimmers have precedence over designated lap lanes.

Deep End/Diving Well Rules:

1. The deep end/diving well is open to guest only when the “boards are closed”
 - The lifeguard that oversees the deep end determines whether the “boards are open” or if the “boards are closed.”
2. Diving is permitted in this roped off area only
3. No hanging on the end of the slide, diving board or pool fill line
4. Non-swimmers are not permitted
5. No flotation devices are permitted